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Application No. 10/069,868	)	Examiner: Phillip A. Johnston
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For: OPTICAL FIBER MICROLENS, OPTICAL FIBER AND METHOD OF POSITIONING OPTICAL FIBER	)	Date: November 22, 2005

## **SUPPLEMENTAL REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed December 1, 2004 and interview conducted on September 19, 2005, please consider the following remarks and amendments to the above identified application. A Notice of Appeal was filed on May 31, 2005. Along with this Amendment Applicants submit a four-month extension of time and authorized any fees required for extensions of time and any fees for the net addition of claims to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-2380.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.